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# Horsford's Annual List of Perennials and Lily Bulbs

#### HARDY PLANTS from a HARDY CLIMATE

• These choice Perennials, Lilies, and Ferns, favored for Northern Gardens can give deep satisfaction in 1964 Gardens and for years that follow. Suggested offers of Special Collections will guard your budget. There's even one for Hybrid Lilacs.

# New Chrysanthemums Aster Flowered Garden Type

COPPERSMITH. Burnished terracotta. September.

**GRANITE SERIES BRONZE.** Bronze. September-October.

**GRANITE PLEASURE**. Red. September-October.

QUICKSILVER. Whipcream white. September.

WAYZATA. Bronze to gold. September. 75c each. 3 of one kind \$2.00

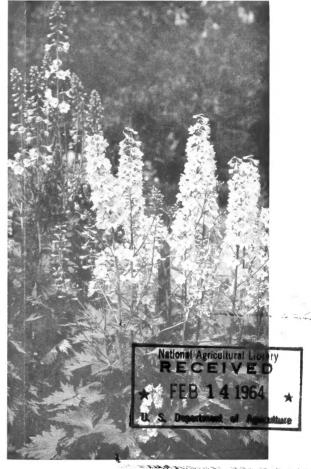
COLLECTION \$3.00

#### SHIPPING CHARGES

EAST OF THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER, please add 20 percent to your total order.

WEST OF THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER, please add 30 percent to your total order.

Shipment can be made by Express Collect if you prefer, but this is very expensive.



Delphinium

- Peonies, Iris and the Classic Madonna Lily appear in our Autumn Supplement.
- We have, also, Evergreens, Roses, Vines, Shrubs and Trees, HARDY to northern New England, and usually sold here at the Nursery. Write for List.

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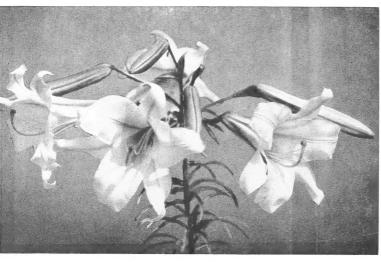
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# Horsford's Lilies for Sure Success



Green Mountain Hybrids

Some Basic — Some New for your Garden

We make special efforts to ensure a clean, healthy stock from which we can fill our orders. Our list is mostly of varieties that can be produced from seed.

We can offer the following varieties in healthy stock. COMPLETE CULTURAL DIRECTIONS with every order.

- AURATUM. Var. platyphyllum. The strikingly large and beautiful Gold Banded Lily you've asked for. Blooms July-September. 3 to 5 ft. \$1.25 each.
- AURELIAN HYBRIDS. Golden Sunburst Strain. Starshaped flowers, gold-yellow. Petals, very slightly recurved. Graceful sprays 5 to 8 ft. 7-8 in. bulbs. August to September. \$1:25 each.
- CANADENSE. We do not guarantee the color of this wild Lily, everything else about it is all right. May be a brick red, or a clear golden yellow. June, July. 2 to 5 ft. 65c each, 3 for \$1.75.
- CANDIDUM, MADONNA LILY. This exquisite waxwhite cascade requires fall planting. We offer it in our autumn listing.
- DAVIDII. A very vigorous and dependable Lily of Turk's Cap type. Numerous red flowers. July-August. 4 to 6 ft. 60c each, 3 for \$1.65.
- GREEN MOUNTAIN HYBRIDS. Large trumpets of white with yellow or green coloring in the throats. 3 to 5 ft. high with a three- to four-week flowering season in mid-summer. \$1.25 each, 3 for \$3.50.
- HARLEQUIN HYBRIDS. New Strain. Colors vary through ivory-white, pale lilac, old rose, violet, salmon, amber-pink. 4 in. diameter. Turk's cap. June-July. \$1.00 each.
- HENRYI. Heights will vary with soil and growing conditions, but we've honestly seen this Lily 9 ft. high. Easy to grow, too. Graceful sprays of brilliant apricot yellow. August, September. 75c each.
- MID CENTURY MIXTURE. Apricot to grenadine. Grow like weeds but beautiful. Flower and spread gorgeously. 65c each, 3 for \$1.75.
- PINK PERFECTION STRAIN. A superb pink hybrid trumpet. July bloomer. Short supply, until fall. \$1.50 each.

- PRIDE OF CHARLOTTE. This stately offspring of L. sargentiae is more rugged than its parent. Long, white funnel-shaped flowers with yellow throat and sometimes marked externally a deep reddish brown. 3 to 4 ft. July. \$1.00 each.
- REGALE. A truly Regal beauty, and the best behaved queen of the lot. Parade her before a royal curtain of Delphinium to show her off to best advantage. White, slightly suffused with pink, shading to beautiful shade of canary yellow at the throat. July. Large bulbs 75c each, 3 for \$2.00.
- SPECIOSUM RED CHAMPION. Delicate pink with deep crimson dots. Oregon grown and disease free stock. July-August. \$1.00 each, 3 for \$2.75.
- SPECIOSUM WHITE CHAMPION. A variety from the favorite "rubrum lily" but crystal white. July-August. \$1.00 each.
- SUPERBUM. America's handsomest native Lily, in our opinion, with its immense, pyramidal cluster of blooms right up high where you can admire them. Brilliant orange-red shading to yellow and spotted with brown. July. 3 to 6 ft. 65c each, 3 for \$1.75.
- **TENUIFOLIUM (Pumilum).** A small slender Lily, bright coral flowers and recurved petals. As dainty a lily as is in cultivation. 12-18 in. June. 65c each, 3 for \$1.75.
- TENUIFOLIUM (Pumilium) Var. Golden Gleam. A fine type of L. tenuifolium, flowers of beautiful apricot shade. A free, vigorous grower. 65c each, 3 for \$1.75.
- TIGRINUM. Var. splendens. By far the best form of Tiger Lily we have had. It is taller, with handsome. large flowers and a much healthier plant. 65c each, 3 for \$1.75.

# Easy-to-Grow Ferns

#### FOR THE OPEN BORDER

Mostly tall Ferns with bold, broad foliage, and imposing appearance. They are adapted to sunshine but need the shelter of adjacent plants about the base of the fronds. Plant them in mixed groups among low shrubs.

- 6 Osmunda claytoniana. 2-3 ft.
- 6 Onoclea struthiopteris. 3-4 ft.
- 18 Dicksonia punctilobula. 1-2 ft.
  - 6 Asplenium felix-foemina. 1-3 ft.

36 Ferns for \$10.00

#### FOR WET, OPEN GROUND

No trouble at all to find ordinary plants for wet, open ground but not many Ferns are adapted to the sunshine. Use rushes or flowering plants freely in such situations.

- 12 Onoclea sensibilis. 1 ft.
- 12 Osmunda regalis. 2-3 ft.

24 Ferns for \$5.50



Asplenium felix-foemina

#### FOR DRY, ROCKY LEDGE

Some of the choicest little Ferns are found in such places in nature. Mostly they are dwarf—frequently half evergreen—but always charming in outline, texture and aspect.

- 12 Asplenium trichomanes. 3-6 in.
- 12 Woodsia obtusa. 6-12 in.
- 12 Polypodium vulgare. 6 in.
- 12 Woodsia ilvensis. 6 in.

48 Ferns for \$12.50

#### FOR MOIST, SHADY PLACES

The wealth of plants which will flourish in moist, shady places is embarrassing. Ferns are no exception. Choose those of relatively low stature, among which to mingle blooming plants such as bog orchids.

- 6 Adiantum pedatum. 1-11/2 ft.
- 6 Aspidium cristatum. 1 ft.
- 6 Polystichum acrostichoides. 1 ft.
- 6 Aspidium spinulosum. 11/2-2 ft.
- 6 Aspidium marginale. 11/2-2 ft.
- 6 Asplenium acrostichoides. 3 ft.
- 6 Asplenium felix-foemina. 1-3 ft.
- 6 Pregopteris hexagonoptera. 1 ft.
- 6 Asplenium angustifolium. 2-3 ft.

54 Ferns for \$13.50

#### FOR DRY, SHADY PLACES

Under trees, in the shade of buildings where the soil is too dry for blooming plants, these Ferns may adapt themselves or if not all, some may. Dry shade is one of the gardener's hardest problems.

- 9 Aspidium marginale. 11/2-2 ft.
- 9 Dicksonia punctilobula. 1-2 ft.
- 9 Osmunda claytonia. 2-3 ft.
- 9 Polystichum acrostichoides. 1 ft.

36 Ferns for \$10.00

Any of the above Ferns 40c each, 6 for \$2.00, \$4.00 per doz.

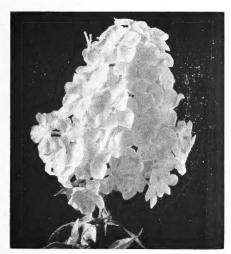
If you are interested in Evergreens, Roses, Vines, Shrubs, Lilacs and Trees which are usually sold here at the Nursery, write for List.

Variety	Common Name	Color	Ht. Feet	Flowering Season
DIANTHUS caesius. Ch	eddar Pink	Pink	1	May-July
deltoides (r)		Rose-pink	1/2	June
plumarius. Pheasan	t's Eye Pink	Pink and red	1 2	June
	Fringed Bleeding-Heart		i	May-Aug.
*spectablis. Bleeding	y-Heart	Crimson		May, June
*DICTAMNUS rubra. (	Gas Plant	Reddish purple	2	June
*alba		White	2	June
	ellow Foxglove		2-3	June
DORONICUM plantagin	eum (excelsum) Leopard's-Bane	Yellow	2	May
ECHINACEA purpurea.	Purple Coneflower	Purple	4	Index Area
ECHINOPS ritro. Glob	pe-Thistle	Rlue	4-6	July, Aug. Aug., Sept.
	(r). Dwarf Spurge		1/2	May
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	antain Lily		1	Aug.
lancitolia variegata.	Lanceleaf Plantain Lily	Purple lilac	1	Aug.
GAILLARDIA arandiflore	a maxima, mixed	Yellow and red	3	June-Sept.
			3	June-Sept.
			3	June-Sept.
				Jone Jepi.
		tipped	3	June-Sept.
GYPSOPHILA paniculate	a. Baby's-Breath		2	July
			2	July, Aug.
repens (r)		White	1/2	June
*repens rosea (r)		Light-pink	1/2-1	June-July
HELIANITHUS IND	B	V 11		
HEMEROCALLIS Day 1:1	. Perennial sunflowerly. For Full-Season Glory (see bo	Yellow	3	July-Oct.
	Gor rull-Season Glory (see bo		01/	11
			$\frac{2\frac{1}{2}}{3}$	July Aug.
			3	Sept.
			2–3	July-Aug.
			3	July-Aug.
	-		2	July-Aug.
			21/2	July
			3	July
			31/2	July-Aug.
			3-4	July-Aug.
J. A. Crawford		Apricot-yellow	4	June, July
Kwanso fulva		Double orange	$2\frac{1}{2}$	July
Margeret Perry		Red and yellow	3-4	Aug.
Mikado		Fragrant deep yellow	3	Aug.
			2	July
			2-3	July
			$2\frac{1}{2}$	July
		,	4-5	June
			3	Aug.
		,	3	Aug.
			2-3	June-July
			3-4	July
			2–3 2	June-July
	Caral Balla		11/2	Aug.
HIPISCUS masshautes	Coral Bells	Coral-rea	4-5	June-Aug. Aug., Sept.
HOLLYHOCKS. "Reques	st-Biennial''—35 cts. each, \$3.50 per	dozMixed	4-5	Aug., Sepi.
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	Candytuft		1/2	June
	Hardy Gloxinia		11/2	June, July
	anese Iris		2–3	July
inese come in s	shades of blue, mulberry, violet.	Order by color.		
*LAVANDULA vera, Mu	nstead (r)	Blue	$\frac{1}{2}-1$	July
LIATRIS pycnostachya.	Gayfeather	Rose-purple	4-5	Aug.
			3-4	Sept.
spicata alba		White	$1-1\frac{1}{2}$	Aug.

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Variety	Common Name	Color	Ht. Feet	Flowering Season
grandiflorum albur grandiflorum. She POLEMONIUM reptans PRIMULA polyanthus, veris (r). Common PYRETHRUM hybridum Golden *James Kelway	Norum. Balloon Flower  n  ill Pink s (r). Creeping Greek Valerian Hybrid Primrose Primrose Painted Daisy	White Pale pink Pink Pink Yellow Red, white, pink White, gold center Scarlet	$ \begin{array}{c} 1\frac{1}{2}-2 \\ 1\frac{1}{2}-2 \\ 1\frac{1}{2}-2 \\ 1\frac{1}{2}-2 \\ 1\frac{1}{2}-2 \\ 2 \end{array} $	Aug., Sept. Aug., Sept. Aug., Sept. Aug., Sept. May May June June, July June, July
SALVIA azura grandif SCABIOSA caucasica. caucasica alba. V STATICE latifolia. Sec	Nora. Great Azure Sage Caucasian Scabiosa White Caucasian Scabiosa Lavender Tokes Aster		2 2-3 1½ 1½ 2 1-1½	
TRILLIUM grandiflorum	ına ı. Wake-Robin Globe Flower	White	3–4 1 2–3	July May June
spicata. Spike Spi *spicata alba *spicata rosea VINCA, Myrtle clumps VIOLA canadensis. Co	s. Clump Speedwell eedwell , 40c each, \$3.50 doz., \$25 hundrec	Bright blueSoft pink JWhite	2 1½ 1½ 2 ½ 1 ½	July-Aug. July-Aug.

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Hardy Phlox



Lupine

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### GENERAL LIST OF HARDY PERENNIALS

60 cts. each, 3 of the same kind for \$1.50, 10 for \$5.00, except as otherwise noted.

Variety Common Name	Color	Ht. Feet	Flowering Season
ACHILLEA (Yarrow) Ptarmica, Perry's White	Pure white	2	June-Sept.
ANCHUSA (Bugloss) italica, Dropmore	Gentian-blue	3-4	June
*myosotidiflora	Blue	11/2	May
ANEMONE pulsatilla. Pasque Flower		11/2	April
japonica alba. Japanese Anemone		2-3	SeptOct.
japonica Geante Blanche. Double		2-3	SeptOct.
japonica hupehensis		2-3	SeptOct.
japonica rubra  AQUILEGIA (Columbine) chrysantha		2-3	SeptOct.
Long-spurred Hybrids		$3-3\frac{1}{2}$ $2-2\frac{1}{2}$	June-July June-July
ARABIS alpina nana (r)		1/2	May
ARTEMISIA (Mugwort) vulgaris lactiflora, fragrant	Creamy white	3-4	Aug., Sept.
*Silver King	Silver-gray foliage	2-3	June-Sept.
ASCLEPIAS tuberosa. Butterfly-Weed	Orange-yellow	11/2	Aug.
ASTER novae-angliae. New England Aster	Violet-purple	4-5	Sept., Oct.
ASTILBE. Spirea. *Fanal		2	July
Gladstone		1/2-2	July
*Gloria	Soft pink	2	July
BOCCONIA cordata. Plume Poppy	Buff	5-6	Aug.
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CAMPANULA (Bellflower) carpatica (r)		1/2	June-Aug. June-Aug.
persicifolia		2	June
persicifolia alba		2	June
CENTAUREA montana. Perennial Bachelors Buttons		1-11/2	July
CHELONE Iyoni. Pink Turtlehead		3-4	Aug., Sept.
CHRYSANTHEMUS Maximum. Shasta Daisy		2-3 2-3	July, Aug.
Double Shasta Daisy	VVnite	2-3	July, Aug.
CHRYSANTHEMUMS, HARDY—"Aster-Flowered"	(See cover page also)		
Algonquin		11/2	Sept.
Amvet		$1\frac{1}{2}-2$	Aug.
Artist's Delight		2	Sept.
Avalanche		11/	Sept.
Clara Curtis  Dean Kay		$\frac{1}{2}$	Sept. Sept.
Dean Ladd		2	Sept.
Early Bronze		11/2	
Flambouyant		11/2-2	Sept.
General Bradley		2-3	Sept.
General Marshall	Raspberry	11/2	Sept.
Glacier		11/2	Sept.
Hollymum		2	Sept.
Purple Waters		2 1½	Sept.
Red CloudRedgold		11/2	Sept. Aug.
Robert Brydon		11/2	Sept.
CUSHION:		. / 2	00p.:
Bronze Queen	Walnut bronze	11/2	Sept.
Major Cushion		11/2	
*Minnipink (cushion)		1	Sept.
Queen Cushion		11/2	Sept.
Yellow Cushion	Yellow mounds	11/2	Sept.
*CIMICIFUGA racemosa. Bugbane		5-6	July, Aug.
CONVALLARIA majalis. Lily-of-the-Valley		$1-1\frac{1}{2}$	May, June
DELPHINIUM belladonna		5–6	June
bellamosum		56	June
grandiflorum chinense		11/2	June
grandiflorum chinense album		11/2	June June
grandiflorum chinense, Azure Fairy* *Pacific Hybrids		1½ 5–6	June June
*Galahad		5–6	June

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	Lupine		2-3	June
polyphyllus albus		White	2-3	June
polyphyllus roseus		Pink	2-3	June
			2-3	June
	Pink		3-4	June-Sept.
LYCHNIS chalcedonica.	Maltese Cross	Scarlet	3	June-July
chalcedonica rosea		Pink	3	June-July
MERTENSIA virginica.	Virginia Bluebells	Blue	1-2	May
MONARDA didyma. C	Oswego Bee Balm	Cardinal-red	3	July
*Croftway Pink		Salmon-pink	3	July
*Mauve Mixture		Mauve to violet	3	July
OENOTHERA missourier	nsis. Ozark Sundrops	Yellow	1/2-1	July, Aug.
	alis. Japanese Spurge	White	1/2	May, June
PHLOX paniculata. Hy		6	0 0	
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	ter		2	Aug.
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		· ·	11/2-2	Aug.
		Silver pink, red eye	2–3 2–3	Aug.
				Aug.
			2–3	Aug.
			2–3	Aug.
		Pink, deep pink eye	2–3	Aug.
			2–3	Aug.
		Deepest salmon pink	2-3	Aug.
			2-3	Aug.
	ragonhead) virginiana grandifla		2-3	Aug.
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Japanese Anemone

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# Day & Night-Blooming Daylilies

(Hemerocallis)

CRYSTAL. Shell pink on parchment.

ENCHANTRESS. Large light yellow.

MATADOR. Mahogany

PINK CHARM. Soft ochre red.

ROSEA. Rosey-pink.

THUNBERGI. Pale yellow.

75 cts. each. Collection \$4.00.

(Others listed inside)



Hemerocallis (Day Iily)

### LILACS and NEW ENGLAND go TOGETHER!

Our HYBRID LILACS\* are grown on their OWN ROOTS in this so congenial soil to form truly ornamental shrubs, their flowers covering the whole shrub in excitingly varied colors and shades.

ELLEN WILMOT. Double white

MME. ANTOINE BUCHNER. Double pink

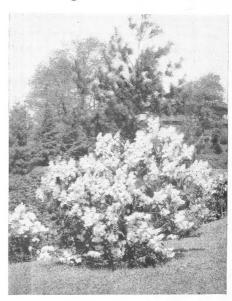
CHARLES X. Single red-violet

PRESIDENT POINCARE. Semi-double

\$2.00 ea., 2-3 ft. size. COLLECTION \$7.00.

We offer traditional COMMON LILACS too, in purples or white—so good for hedge background or screen.

\$1.25 ea., 3-4 ft. size. DOZEN \$10.00



Hybrid French Lilac

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